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Dear Sirs,

Please find attached a copy of the announcement made to the London Stock Exchange today, in respect of the Scrip dividend shares allocated on shareholdings belonging to directors of Tesco plc and any connected persons.

If you have any queries please contact me on 01992 644797.

Yours faithfully,

Gabbi Hatton

Share Schemes Manager

Tesco plc

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DIRECTORS' SHAREHOLDINGS

Tesco PLC has today been notified that on Friday 1st July 2005, the Directors below became entitled to Ordinary shares of 5p each in the Company, at a pri of 312.65p per share, under the Scrip Dividend Scheme:

Director	No of Shares
R W P Brasher P A Clarke	804 23,985
A T Higginson	26,383
T P Leahy (including 455 Sci	58,464 rip dividend shares paid on holdings of connected persons)
T J R Mason	27,432
(including 1,290 S	Scrip dividend shares paid on holdings of connected persons)
R F Chase	849
D T Potts	28,609
H Einsmann	1,573
D E Reid	155

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